

PALM BAY POLICE DEPARTMENT Internal Affairs Investigative Report

TO Chief Mark Renkens

FROM. Sergeant Michael Smith

DATE. July 5, 2016

SUBJ · Administrative Review for DR# 16-001834

Summary.

On March 1, 2016, Corporal McCoy and several other officers responded to the area of 1246 & 1254 Mariposa Drive, Palm Bay, in reference to a disturbance. The suspect, Dimitri Corcino, a resident of 1246 Mariposa, was harassing construction workers who were working at 1254 Mariposa. During the disturbance, the suspect told the workers that he was going back into his house to get his gun and shoot them. The suspect also indicated that he would shoot police if they came to the scene. After a stand-off with the officers, the suspect came outside and pointed a gun at officers. The suspect was then shot and killed by Corporal McCoy.

Investigation

The following information was compiled from a review of the case reports and FDLE investigation.

On March 1, 2016, at about 9 19 am Palm Bay PD dispatch received a complaint in reference to a disturbance in the area of 1246 & 1254 Mariposa Drive, Palm Bay The suspect, Dimitri Corcino, a resident of 1246 Mariposa, was harassing construction workers who were working at 1254 Mariposa. During the disturbance, the suspect told the workers that he was going back into his house to get his gun and shoot them The suspect also indicated that he would shoot police if they came to the scene, and was heard during a 911 call stating, 'Call the cops I don't care, I'll shoot them too' Sergeant Livasy took "Command" of the incident He assigned a contact team consisting of Officers Woronka, Missale, and Vickers, and Corporal Valenti He assigned Officer Rama to get a vantage point of the rear of the suspect's residence, and Corporal McCoy to get a vantage point of the front of the residence to provide intelligence and safety for the contact team

After about an hour on scene, telephone contact was made between the suspect and contact team The suspect was irrational and his demeanor continued to change and at one point told Officer Woronka that he would "put two (bullets) in your head" In an attempt to deescalate and further evaluate the incident, the contact team was instructed to back away from the house. As they were doing so, the suspect opened the door and the contact team returned to cover to again attempt communication.

The suspect went back inside and then suddenly opened the door again and pointed a handgun toward the contact team Corporal McCoy fired one shot from his 308 rifle, striking the suspect in the head, mortally wounding him. The suspect was immediately pronounced dead at 11 44 am

The Florida Department of Law Enforcement responded to the scene as the primary investigative agency Special Agency Bradley Lewis was the primary investigator. Pursuant to his investigation, Agent Lewis forwarded his facts and findings to the Office of the State Attorney. On April 12, 2016, State Attorney Phil Archer drafted a letter stating that his office "reviewed the investigative summary and electronic case file (from FDLE) and concluded that the use of force by Officer McCoy was lawful and proper under the provisions of Chapter 776, Florida Statutes."

Conclusion:

It is the opinion of the Office of Professional Standards that the force used by Corporal McCoy was appropriate and within Palm Bay Police Department policy G.O 201.3 (A)(1) Use of Force in Defense of Person -- An officer or DBS is justified in the use of deadly force only if they reasonably believe that such force is necessary to prevent imminent death or great bodily harm to themselves or another or to prevent the imminent commission of a violent felony

Corporal McCoy was justified in the use of deadly force by discharging his firearm at a perceived threat to protect himself, citizens in the area, and the officers on the contact team whom the suspect pointed his gun toward. The Office of Professional Standards finds that no further action is required regarding this matter

End of report.

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CAD Notes/Dispatch

CAD Information Reported By WORONKA - 156, CASSANDRA J Call# 160610119 Beat. Z05-NORTH Units · P100 Employees 0000002338 MEEHAN - 100 ROBERT Units · P108 Employees 0000005580 RENKENS - 108, MARK Units: P1262 Employees 0000001262 HAUBER, NATASHA Employees 0000005624 BLAND - 127, STEPHEN Units: P127 Units P1289 Employees · 0000001289 SANDER, BRIDGET Units P131 Employees: 0000002594 PIDGEON - 131, ANDREW Units P139 Employees. 0000005686 AUGELLO - 139 MARIANO Units P141 Employees 0000005661 PUSATERE - 141, MICHAEL Units : P142 Employees 0000002096 RIBNICKY - 142, THOMAS Units P150 Employees · 0000005660 ZANDER - 150, TIMOTHY Units P155 Employees: 0000002145 PINDAR - 155 SEAN
Units P156 Employees 0000002155 WORONKA - 156 CASSANDRA Units · P161 Employees 0000002393 SACCO - 161, ANTHONY Units: P166 Employees 0000002452 DUTILL - 166, SEAN Units: P178 Employees 0000002971 TILLETT - 178, REBECCA Units . P184 Employees 0000002632 MCCOY - 184, JASON Units P187 Employees: 0000001024 SHEDRICK - 187, KEN Units · P192 Employees. 0000002591 VALENTI - 192 NEAL Units P195 Employees 0000001073 RAMA - 195, ROBERT Employees 0000005589 RESH - 02, JOHN Units: P2 Units: P202 Employees · 0000001112 CASWELL - 202, REED Units: P208 Employees: 0000001211 SCHUCK - 208, KYLE Units P221 Employees. 0000002841 MERTENS - 221 SHANE Units: P226 Employees. 0000001179 MISSALE - 226 SAMANTHA

Units: P26 Employees 0000005588 LIVASY - 26, CHRISTOPHER Units: P42 Employees 0000002595 BADMAN-PATON 42, LIN Units: P44 Employees: 0000005627 LATULIPPE - 44, GREGORY Units: P68 Employees: 0000002114 HILL - 68, STEVEN

Units: P2331 Employees 0000002331 CLENDENIN, PHILLIP

Units . P7368 Employees. 0000007368 SWAN, SAMUEL

Units: P89 Employees 0000002320 JONES - 89, LEWIS Veh. 10 NISSAN MAZDA BLK SDSGT FL JN1AZ4EH4AM505746

*** CAD Call Narrative ***

LL WITH 1088- DIMITRI IS HER BOYFRIEND

SUBJ HAS PTSD

SEVEALR SO IN HOME

1039 REF SHOOTING LEO

1039 TO 156 REF NAME AND PX POSS 1088

192 PASS PT MALABAR ENTER MARIPOSA WEST END MEET AT MASCOT TARGET HOUSE IS BLUE

WM BLUE OUTSIDE YELLING P184 EYES ON

TAG IS POW TAG PRIOR MILITARY HIGH RANK

FRONT LINE SIGHT BLINDS ARE CLOSED SCREEN OPEN

POSS SDSGT

DIMITRI CORCINO NEED CH PER P26

CONTACT TEAM ON FOOT APPROACHING

MALE IS AT WINDOW LOOKING THROUGH

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195 HAS EYES ON BACK FRONT DOOR IS OPEN STANDING AT FRONT DOOR CAN NOT SEE SUBJECTS LEFT HAND CONTACT TEAM GOING SUV FRONT DOOR CLOSED SUBJECT BACK INSIDE CONTACT TEAM AT 1254 IN FRONT BEHIND VEH DOORS OPEN NO WEAPONS CELL PHONE IN HAND WENT BACK INSIDE HE KNOWS PD IS ON SCENE 195 2/3 SIDE POSS SUBJECT ** C625160772040 202 TO MEET W 195 AT 2/3 26 USING PA FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS PER BCSO ARREST REPORT SUBJECT HAD S35 AND FIREARMS ON HIS PERSONS SAME BCSO REPORT ADVISING MEDS FOR BI POLAR AND DEPRESSANT MEDICATIONS PER P184 CALL VA FOR PX ON SUBJECT PER 156 CALL LANDLORD NEED PX MOM SHOULD BE INSIDE 189 IS LANDLINE 189 STILL LANDLINE PER P156 HES AT FRONT DOOR PER JENNIFER GIRLFRIEND MOM OF SUBJECT LIVES IN PR NOT AT RESIDENCE HE HAS BEEN DRINKING ALL NIGHT MALE ACTING VERY SIG 20 PER P156 MALE SUBJECT ASKED FOR OFFICERS TO GO IN FRONT OF THE HOUSE SO HE "TAKE CARE OF THINGS" SUBJECT BELIEVES HE IS ARGUING W HIS GF THIS A M AND THAT IT IS ACTUALLY NIGHT TIME GF VEH IS BLK DODGE CALIBER ADVISED FEMALE **DO NOT RESPOND RESIDENCE 156 226 184 TO EVACUATE THE CONSTRUCTION WORKERS OUT OF AREA MOVEMENT AT THE WINDOW 189 ATTEMPTING TALK MALE OUT OF RESIDENCE MALE SUBJECT NOT COOPERATING SUBJECT IS WATCHING PD 97 P150 166 TO MARIPOSA / SHEAFE MEET W 26 JENNIFER WORKS SUBJECT LANDLINE STILL REFUSING TO EXIT MALE IS COMING OUT PER P226 MALE GOT UPSET DISCONNECTED DID NOT EXIT PER P226 MALES BELIEVES PD IS ACTIVELY SHOOTING AT HIM AND IS MAKING THREATS PER 26 UNITS ARE TO RETURN TO THEIR VEHS DOOR IS OPEN PER 184 MALE IS YELLING AT FRONT DOOR

DOORS OPEN PER P184 PER 156 GUN
184 TARGET DOWN
TARGET IS DOWN NOT MOVING
CLEARING RESIDENCE
CANCEL RESCUE

S7 PRONOUNCED BY P26 AT 1144HOURS***

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STAGING IS MARIPOSA AND SHEAFE

PER P127 2 VCOPS TCP RESPOND MARIPOSA SHEAFE

PAGE TWO FOR CRIME SCENCE SECURITY

42 131 RESPONDING TO RELIEVE OFFICERS ON SCENE PER P127

127 NOTIFIED MAJOR COMMAND AND DC

221 RESPONDING FOR OT

208 221 SCENE SECURITY

141 AWARE

FDLE X2 51 TO P127

DR 1834 ISSUED TO P156

VCOPS TO REMAIN AT MARIPOSA AND MASCOT

FOP ON SCENE

208 RESPOND MARIPOSA AND SHEAFE TO CRIME SCENE TAPE

FOR SCENE SECURITY

3 CONSTRUCTION WORKERS ARE 1012 W P166

131 WAITING ON A FEMALE TAN COLORED VEH NAMED SHELLY

DVA ON SCENE

BCSO IS AWARE OF SITUATION

BCSO HAS UNITS ON SCENE ASSISTING PBPD

10 4 FOR FEMALE TO LEAVE GO TO MOMS HOUSE 131 HAS ADDRESS

26 IS OFF THE AIR

ID P178 CLR SCENE

PER ID P127, SCENE HAS BEEN RELEASED

HX OF

// *TIME STAMP 0957 AND 0958*

POSS PX TO DIMITRI

ID 7368 IS COMING TO STATION TO GET WATER

PER ID 7368, GIRLFRIEND AND FRIEND ARE BOTH GOING TO

GIRLFRIENDS MOTHERS HOUSE

DIMITRI CORCINO DOB/06041977 HM

PER CROSS REF BOOK ADDR LISTS

VCOP P7368 WILL RESP AND CALL OUT ANOTHER VCOP TO ASSIST THERE IS A MAN THAT IS THERE THREATING TO SHOOT THE PEOPLE DOING WORK ON THE HOUSE

ITS THE NEIGHBOR IS VERY SIG2 AND HAS A SCREW LOOSE (1246 MARIPOSA)

ITS A H/M WITH NO SHIRT JUST SHORTS

THE SUBJECT IS OUTSIDE NOW YELLING AT THE CMPL

THE SUBJECT KEEPS GOING IN AND OUT OF HIS HOUSE

SAYING HE IS GETTING HIS GUN

CMPL HAS NEVER MET HIM BEFORE -

MALE SAID CALL THE COPS ILL SHOOT THEM TOO

THERE IS A BLACK NISSAN Z IN THE DRIVEWAY

POSISBLE 1088

SUBJECT NOW BACK IN THE HOUSE

PX FOR DIMITRI

SUBJECT IS CONFIRMED PTSD WITH SEVERAL SO'S IN THE HOME

10-39 TO BCFR

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On March 1, 2016 at approximately 0919 hours Police Dispatch received a call from a citizen reference to a disturbance involving the complainant's neighbor The caller indicated that her address was 1254 Mariposa Dr NE and that the neighbor causing the disturbance lived at 1246 Mariposa Dr NE

Information that Police Dispatch provided to officers was that construction workers were doing work at 1254 Mariposa Dr NE and were being threatened by a white male from 1246 Mariposa Dr NE It was advised that the subject told them he was going into his house to get a gun to shoot them It was advised that the subject was possibly intoxicated, as well and was reportedly heard saying that if the "cops" were called that he would shoot them as well As the NE Patrol supervisor, I met with officers in the area of Mariposa Dr , near Sheafe Ave , to provide duty assignments A "contact team" was designated, consisting of Ofc Woronka, Ofc Missale, Cpl Valenti and Ofc Vickers I then assigned Cpl McCoy to cover the front of the subject's residence from a distance with his long-gun (308 cal) His duty was to provide information and intelligence, as well as security for the contact team Ofc Rama was assigned to get a vantage point of the back of the subject's residence from inside the Oakwood Villas apartment complex Once Cpl McCoy advised that he had a visual of the front of the house, he began providing information needed to possibly identify the subject (confirmed house number, vehicle tag in the driveway etc) I then directed the contact team to take a route behind the houses on the North side of Mariposa Dr (the same side as the subject's residence) to get to a position that the subject could be directed out to Lt Bland and I then blocked traffic on Mariposa Dr , East of the subject house (Mariposa/Sheafe) and Sgt Sacco blocked traffic on Mariposa Dr , West of the subject's house (Mariposa/ Mascot) From my vantage point, I could see that the contact team (Woronka, Missale, Valenti & Vickers) was in place, East of the subject's residence Cpl McCoy indicated that the male opened the front door and reportedly the contact team attempted to engage in conversation, however the subject went back into the house I then moved up in my police vehicle, toward the front of the house and began making announcements over my PA loudspeaker I indicated that it was the police and requested the occupants of 1246 Mariposa to come outside and speak with officers Police Dispatch provided me with the name Dimitri Corcino, the registered owner of the vehicle parked in the driveway I made several additional announcements over the car PA, requesting the subject to come out and speak with officers Receiving no response from my announcements I began backing my vehicle away from the house toward Sheafe Ave I briefly stopped and spoke to three men standing across the street, several houses East of the subject's residence These men were identified as the construction workers who were threatened by the subject They advised that the subject appeared to be intoxicated and was seen holding a shot glass They told me that the man said that he was going into his house to get

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his gun and was going to come out and shoot them All three advised however, that they never actually saw a gun I then continued back to my initial location at Sheafe and Mariposa

At this time Police Dispatch indicated that they were on the phone with the homeowner, Jennifer Tindall who advised she was at work She reportedly confirmed that her boyfriend, Dimitri Corcino should be home and she provided his cell phone number

Ofc Vickers was then able to make telephone contact with the subject, Dimitri and began negotiations with him Addionally, Ofc Woronka spoke with Dimitri on the phone Indications from these telephone contacts were that the subject had been drinking and appeared mentally unstable

After being on-scene for approximately 2 hours and actively engaged in telephone contact with the subject for over an hour, it was decided to pull officers back to de-escalate and further evaluate the incident At this time the subject disconnected from telephone contact and I told the contact team to begin moving back from the residence At this time, approximately 1135 hours, Cpl McCoy advised that the subject opened the door and the contact team was moved back into position The subject briefly went back into the house, however reportedly opened the door again and pointed a handqun toward the contact team I then heard one gunshot and was advised over the radio by Cpl McCoy that the subject was down

I then approached the residence and saw a white male on the floor in the entryway of the residence with an apparent gunshot wound to his head I also observed a black, semi-auto handgun on the front door stoop Members of the contact team then entered the house to clear it of potential occupants I then advised Police Dispatch to cancel rescue and pronounced the subject deceased at 1144 hours After confirming that the officers were uninjured I instructed Ofc Missale to remain in direct contact with Cpl Valenti and Ofc Vickers to remain with Ofc Woronka I then walked over to Cpl McCoy, to ensure he was okay, which he appeared to be I then directed Ofc Caswell to meet me and advised him to remain with Cpl McCoy

Lt Bland began making telephone notifications to Police Command Staff and I taped off the crime scene Upon command staff and CID personnel's arrival, the scene was turned over and I later cleared the scene

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INITIAL INVESTIGATION Reported By SHEDRICK - 187, KEN L 3/03/16

TUESDAY, MARCH 01ST, 2016.

CASE SYNOPSIS.

On March 01st, 2016, at approx 1155 hrs, I was instructed by Sqt Pusatere to respond to 1246 Mariposa Dr reference to an officer-involved fatal shooting I arrived on scene at 1215 hrs Upon arrival, I was briefed on the investigation by Lt Bland The suspect who was fatally wounded was identified as Hispanic male, Dimitri Corcino (06-04-1977)

According to Lt Bland, the suspect resides at 1246 Mariposa Dr with his girlfriend The girlfriend was later identified as white female, Jennifer Tindall At approx 0900 hrs the suspect exited his residence and began feuding with stucco workers who were working on his next door neighbor's residence located at 1254 Mariposa Dr The suspect appeared intoxicated and at one point during the verbal feud the suspect indicated he was going into his residence to retrieve a firearm He also made accusations that he would shoot the police although a firearm was never displayed by the suspect

Palm Bay Police Dispatch received the 911 call at 0919 hrs Palm Bay Police Officers arrived on scene and established a perimeter around the residence and attempted to negotiate the suspect out of his residence to check his well-being They attempted to make contact with the suspect by use of a PA system and cell phone communication The suspect exited and re-entered his residence several times during negotiations but never met with officers He spoke with officers via cell phone and would at times begin crying but he refused to comply to officer's request to exit and meet with them

A take down team was located in the driveway of 1254 Mariposa Dr and they took cover behind a white Nissan sports utility vehicle that was parked in the driveway 1254 Mariposa Dr is the neighboring residence east of the suspect's residence Cpl McCoy held a perimeter position in the back yard of 1230 Bard Ln using his 308 Sniper Rifle Bard Ln is the next street south of Mariposa Dr Cpl McCoy's position allowed him to provide cover for the take down officers and other perimeter officers Negotiations continued over a lengthy period but the suspect refused to comply and meet with officers Since no crime had occurred officers began breaking down their perimeter locations to return back to their patrol vehicles Cpl McCoy held his position

As the take down team was walking away east bound from the residence the suspect emerged from his residence armed with a handgun The take down team retreated back behind the white Nissan SUV and took cover The suspect then pointed his handgun in the direction of the take down team Cpl McCoy then fired one round at the suspect fatally wounding

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by Ofc Woronka at 1144 hrs

the suspect in the head area
The suspect was immediately pronounced

INVESTIGATION

FDLE was also notified and were on scene prior to my arrival FDLE Agent Bradley Lewis took lead on the investigation for FDLE I was assigned as the lead detective for the Palm Bay Police Department I first assisted FDLE Agent Ryan Bliss with interviewing the stucco workers The stucco workers were identified as Dexter Walker, Rodney Gunder, and Todd Wagner A group interview was conducted with the workers

DEXTER WALKER, TODD WAGNER AND RODNEY GUNDER INTERVIEW

Walker and Wagner arrived to the work site at approx 0800 hrs They arrived before Gunder and made contact with the suspect before Gunder's arrival According to Walker, approx ten minutes after they arrived to work he began mixing mud outside in front of 1254 Mariposa He looked in the direction of the suspect's residence and saw the suspect standing in the doorway of his residence wearing only boxer shorts and yelling Walker was operating loud machinery to mix the mud so he could not hear what the suspect was yelling Walker turned off the machinery so he could hear what the suspect was saying Walker heard the suspect say something to then effect, "It's hot out there Why you working in the sun?" The suspect then offered the workers some juice and invited them into his residence but both Walker and Wagner declined his offer The suspect then walked back inside his residence then returned outside wearing only blue basketball shorts and holding a shot glass The shot glass contained a liquid substance which Walker assumed was liquor

The suspect offered Walker some moonshine but Walker declined The suspect then began focusing his attention on Wagner and tried to play catch with Wagner using a tennis ball Wagner informed the suspect he was being a nuisance and politely asked the suspect to leave them alone Wagner stated the suspect appeared impaired At one point the suspect stepped in an ant bed so Walker sprayed his feet with water

The homeowners from 1254 Mariposa Dr exited their residence and tried to talk to the suspect The suspect became irritated and began using profane language towards the homeowner The suspect then stated something to the effect "You want me to get my gun I will go get my gun!" Walker then walked away to get some distance away from the suspect's residence Wagner instructed the homeowners to call the police The suspect entered his residence then returned and stood in his doorway yelling something to the effect "Call the police! Call the police!"

Gunder stated when he arrived on scene he heard the suspect yelling at Walker calling him a "Nigger" The workers never saw the suspect in possession of a firearm When the police arrived on scene all three workers left to get something to eat leaving their vehicle and

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se Number 1-16-001834 machinery on scene They did not witness the shooting

At approx 1318 hrs, Agt Lewis and I conducted a series of individual interviews with the homeowners and family members residing at 1254 Mariposa Dr The homeowners were identified as Richard Buehler and his fiance, Laura Mattingly Also residing at the residence is their son, Tyler Mattingly Ms Mattingly's brother, Richard Hammond, was also at the residence visiting

RICHARD BUEHLER INTERVIEW ·

Mr Buehler stated at approx 0915 hrs, as he was preparing to leave his residence with his fiance for work he was approached by what he described as the white stucco employee (Todd Wagner) who complained they were being bothered by the suspect Mr Buehler approached the suspect and politely asked the suspect to stop bothering the stucco workers The suspect began complaining he had ants on his feet but Mr Buehler did not see any ants on the suspect's feet Mr Buehler continued to talk with the suspect in an attempt to get him to leave the workers alone The suspect first apologized then walked inside his residence

Shortly afterwards, the suspect exited his residence and stood in his front doorway and began arguing with them about the noise the stucco workers were making. The suspect warned everyone that he was going to go inside his house and retrieve his firearm and shoot them. The stucco workers then began walking away taking the suspect's threat seriously. Mr Buehler then called the police. As Mr Buehler was on the phone with the 911 operator the suspect made threats to shoot the police by yelling something to the effect, "You calling the police huh. I will shoot them too. I will shoot everybody!", as he stood in his doorway.

When the police arrived on scene Mr Buehler and his family was told to go inside their residence. They went inside their residence then stood on their rear patio located on the north east side of their residence. Mr Buehler observed officers make a perimeter around the suspect's residence. Mr Buehler also heard the officers attempt to call the suspect out of the residence on a P A system and by calling the suspect on the phone. The police negotiated with the suspect for approx thirty minutes to an hour long when Mr Buehler heard the sound of a loud bang. Mr Buehler did not see who fired the gunshot

LAURA MATTINGLY INTERVIEW

Ms Mattingly stated at approx 0900 hrs, she was preparing to take Mr Buehler to work when she was approached by one of the stucco workers who asked her if she knew the suspect The stucco workers also complained that the suspect had been bothering them by getting in their face making it difficult for them to finish their work

Ms Mattingly approached the suspect and introduced herself She then politely asked the suspect to stop bothering the stucco workers The

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suspect was holding a shot glass A strong odor of ethanol alcohol was emanating from his person The suspect verbally complied by stating something to the effect, "Alright Alright I just want to get these ants off my feet" Ms Mattingly did not see any ants but one of the stucco workers sprayed the suspect's feet with water from a water sprayer The suspect then stated he did not want to cause any problems and went back inside his residence

As Ms Mattingly was preparing to enter her vehicle with her fiance, the suspect exited his residence and began yelling something to the effect "Go ahead call 911 I don t care I have a gun I will shoot ya'll'" Ms Mattingly first called her uncle, Richard Mattingly, and asked him to come over then she called 911 While she was on the phone with 911, Ms Mattingly heard the suspect make threats to shoot everyone including the police Ms Mattingly remained on the phone with 911 until the police arrived on scene

When the police arrived on scene, Ms Mattingly and her family went inside her residence then walked outside and stood on their rear patio. Ms Mattingly could hear the police officers negotiating with the suspect o the P A system and by phone because the officer had the phone on speaker Ms Mattingly heard the suspect say he was not coming outside because he thought he was going to jail

As the stand-off continued Ms Mattingly walked back inside her residence but was out of view of the suspect The negotiations continued for approx one hour and a half when Ms Mattingly heard the suspect yell something out loud She then heard the sound of a loud pop which she initially thought was tear gas or a gunshot Mattingly never saw the suspect armed with a firearm during her encounter with him She did indicate that during her brief encounter with the suspect he appeared intoxicated and mentally unstable because he was stumbling and making comments that did not make sense

RICHARD HAMMOND INTERVIEW

Mr Hammond stated at approx 0900 hrs, he received a phone call from his niece, Laura Mattingly, complaining about her next door neighbor She indicated the next door neighbor (suspect) was bothering the stucco workers and she asked Mr Hammond to come over Mr Hammond arrived to his niece's residence at approx 0930 hrs

When Mr Hammond arrived he took cover behind the cars in his niece's driveway He then saw the suspect standing in the doorway of his residence making verbal threats to shoot the police but never saw the suspect in possession of a firearm The suspect then walked back inside his residence for a brief moment then returned to his front doorway again and began complaining about the noise The suspect then walked back inside his residence again By this time the police had arrived on scene and established a perimeter around the suspect's residence

Mr Hammond and his relatives entered their residence and stood on the

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rear patio From that location, Mr Hammond could hear an officer talking to the suspect via phone call Mr Hammond was able to hear the conversation because the phone was on speaker The officer tried to reason with the suspect by asking him to exit the residence for the purpose of checking his well-being The suspect repeatedly informed the officer that he was not coming out because he thought he was going to jail Mr Hammond stated he heard the officer ask the suspect approx fifty to sixty times over a forty-five minute time span to exit the residence but the suspect would not comply

As the negations continued Mr Hammond heard the suspect agree to come outside the residence Mr Hammond and his relatives walked back inside their residence in case there was a violent confrontation Shortly after entering the residence, Mr Hammond heard the suspect yell but he could not see the suspect After the suspect yelled, Mr Hammond heard the sound of a gunshot Mr Hammond then saw the officers run towards the direction of the suspect's residence Mr Hammond stated he never saw the suspect in possession of a firearm during his brief encounter with him

TYLER MATTINGLY INTERVIEW

Tyler stated at approx 0930 hrs, he walked out of his bedroom and saw his mother, (Laura Mattingly) return back inside the residence His mother informed him that the next door neighbor (suspect) was bothering the stucco workers and made threats to kill everyone Tyler walked outside briefly but did not hear any confrontation nor did he ever see the suspect Tyler then walked back inside his residence with his family Soon afterwards, Tyler's uncle arrived on scene Approx ten minutes after his uncle had arrived, Tyler observed police in the area establishing a perimeter around the east side of his family's residence

At some point Tyler heard the police attempt to negotiate with the suspect by P A system and by phone call which was on speaker in an attempt to get the suspect to walk out the residence Tyler heard the police tell the suspect that they only wanted to talk with him Tyler heard the suspect reply with something to the effect, "No you just going to arrest me" This dialogue between the officer and the suspect continued for approx one hour and half but the suspect refused to exit the residence Tyler walked to the southwest bedroom and heard the suspect yelling but Tyler could not hear what the suspect was saying The yelling stopped for a brief second then Tyler heard the suspect yell again followed by the sound of a gunshot Tyler then observed from his bedroom window police officers running towards the direction of the suspect's residence Tyler stated he never saw the suspect but only heard who he assumed was the suspect's voice

CRIME SCENE

The crime scene was processed by Brevard County Sheriff's Office Crime Scene Unit Medical Examiner Investigator Corey Johnson arrived on

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scene to examine the body

1246 Mariposa Dr is located on the north south of the road and faces south Parked forward in the driveway was a black Nissan 2-dr (FL tag # SDSGT) A computer through FCIC/NCIC revealed the vehicle was registered to the suspect

The suspect was lying on his back in the open front door way. His head was angled towards a north direction and his feet were pointed in a south direction. His head was leaning towards his left shoulder. He was wearing a pair of black shorts with a blue stripe on the sides.

A black cell phone was resting in his front waits band area His right hand was resting on his front waits and a white speaker cord that attached to the cell phone was resting in his right hand. Inside his front left pants pocket was a magazine that was loaded with 45 caliber ammunition rounds

There was a large wound on the right side of the suspect's head towards the rear Brain matter was visible inside the wound and on the floor around the body

The wooden front door is preceded by a screen door that opens outward
The top section of the screen door is made of a glass-like material
There was a large hole in the glass portion
The wooden door behind the screen door opens inward and to the left

Blood splatter was located on the outer top section of the wooden door and along the door frame where the hinges are located. This indicated the suspect was most likely standing in between the screen door and the partially open wooden front door facing in an east direction towards the take down team

A black Springfield XD 45 callber semi-automatic handgun (SN # MG623567) was located on the ground approx two feet in front of the suspect's legs. The handgun was loaded with a magazine that contained eleven 45 callber rounds and one 45 callber round loaded in the chamber A computer check through FCIC/NCIC revealed the handgun was not reported stolen

The 308 Sniper Rifle used by Cpl McCoy was resting in the back yard of 1230 Bard Ln guarded by Ofc Schuck until BCSO Crime Scene Unit took custody of the firearm

The suspect's body was removed from the scene by B&B Body Removal Service and transported to the Brevard County Medical Examiner's Office for further examination

NEIGHBORHOOD CANVASS.

FDLE Agt Lewis and I paired together and conducted a series of neighborhood contacts Det Tillett and FDLE Agt Ortiz paired

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together and assisted with the neighborhood contacts The following are the neighborhood contacts conducted by myself and Agt Lewis:

1294 Mariposa Dr

This residence was occupied by Cheryl Marsden and Betty Carter Both stated they did not witness the altercation with the suspect nor did they hear any qunshots

1320 Mariposa Dr

This residence was occupied by Ardell Cheek and her husband, Michael Mrs Cheek stated she did not witness the altercation with the suspect nor did she hear any gunshots She did indicate her husband heard the qunshot Michael was resting and was unable to be interviewed

1230 Bard Ln

This residence was occupied by Cheryl Carling Mrs Carling stated she arrived home at approx 1130 hrs and observed an officer lying in her back yard Approx one hour later she heard a single gunshot but did not see who fired the gunshot

1220 Bard Ln.

This residence was occupied by Michael Holmes Mr Holmes arrived home at approx 1115 hrs and saw all the police activity in the area He walked to his next door neighbor s residence, located at 1230 Bard Ln, and observed an officer lying in her back yard Mr Holmes returned back to his residence and at approx 1140 hrs he heard a single gunshot but did not see who fired the gunshot

1247 Mariposa Dr (Contact made by Det Tillet and Agt Ortiz).

According to Det Tillet, the homeowners residing at 1247 Mariposa Dr observed the suspect stand in his front doorway and point a handgun in an east direction towards the take down team just prior to him getting 1247 Mariposa Dr is located directly across the street from the suspect's residence

The officers who were identified as witnesses to the shooting were identified as Ofc Woronka ID # 156, Ofc Vickers ID # 189 Ofc Missale ID # 226, Ofc Valenti ID # 192 and Sgt Sacco ID # Sacco ID # 161 The witnessing officers were interviewed by FDLE Agt Bliss, Agt Mynheir Det Clark, and Det Jones See respective supplements regarding the summarization of the interviews Cpl McCoy was represented by a F O P representative and selected not to participate in any interviews

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An immediate relative was unable to be located after several attempts

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through several search databases The suspect's aunt, Anna Corcino, was contacted and briefed on the death by Det Tillet The suspect's live-in girlfriend Jennifer Tindall was not home when the altercation occurred but she was notified of the death

PRELIMINARY CONCLUSION.

Case remains open pending the final conclusion of FDLE investigation and the final report from the Medical Examiner's Office The 911 recording and the radio traffic was submitted into evidence

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M E RESULTS Reported By SHEDRICK - 187, KEN L 5/19/16

On May 13th, 2016, I received the Medical Examiner's final report which provided the cause and manner of death for the deceased, Dimitri Corcino The report was signed by Dr Podjaski According to the report, Gunshot Wound to the Head was listed as the cause of death The manner of death was listed as Homicide

Toxicology revealed negative for controlled substances but his ethanol level was 0 270 g/dl compared to the normal limits of 0 010 g/dl Case remains open pending final ruling from FDLE

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FDLE RULING Reported By SHEDRICK - 187, KEN L 5/19/16

On May 19th 2016, I received confirmation from FDLE Agt Jason Kriegsman that the officer involved shooting that occurred at 1246 Mariposa Dr was ruled a justified shooting Case cleared as a justified homicide

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On March 1st, 2016, I was requested to respond to the area of 1246 Mariposa Dr in reference to an officer involved shooting Upon arrival I met with Sgt Pusatere who advised me that Det Shedrick was the lead detective and that FDLE would be conducting the shooting investigation Assignments had already been made and I was requested to respond to the Palm Bay Police Department to assist FDLE with officer interviews

CJ Woronka interview

Once back at the station, I met with FDLE Special Agent Mark Mynheir who first conducted an audio recorded interview with Officer CJ Woronka at 1408 hours Officer Woronka stated the following She and other officers were dispatched to a disturbance between neighbors Workers were working on the house next to 1246 Mariposa Dr A disturbance occurred between the workers and the male (later identified as Dimitri Corcina) residing at 1246 Mariposa Dr The disturbance led to Dimitri threatening to go inside his residence and obtain a gun and threaten to shoot the workers A contact team was established and she and other officers parked on intersection of Sheafe Ave and Mariposa Dr Officer Woronka, Cpl Valenti, Officer Missale, and Officer Vickers approached the residence from the canal located behind the residence and walked between two houses to the east of 1246 Mariposa Dr They took cover behind a vehicle parked in the driveway of 1254 Mariposa Dr They were attempting to identify the occupant of 1246 Mariposa so contact could be made Once they obtained Dimitri's identity, Officer Vickers attempted to make contact with Dimitri via his cell phone Officer Woronka did advise prior to Officer Vickers calling Dimitri's cell phone, Dimitri walked outside of his residence and Officer Woronka asked him to come and talk to her Dimitri stopped and looked at her and then turned around and walked back inside the residence Sgt Livasy then drove his marked patrol vehicle toward the residence, stopping just in front of the residence Sgt Livasy made several announcements over his patrol vehicle's PA system asking Dimitri to come outside Officer Woronka indicated Sgt Livasy announced multiple times that he was with the Palm Bay Police Department and even identified himself by name Dimitri never responded to the announcements and Sgt Livasy backed his patrol vehicle away from the residence

Officer Vickers then made contact with Dimitri via cell phone As Officer Vickers was speaking with Dimitri, Officer Missale was next to Officer Vickers Officer Woronka and Cpl Valenti were positioned behind the vehicle at 1254 Mariposa Dr so they could maintain a visual on the front of the residence Officers Vickers continued to speak with Dimitri over the phone and efforts to get him to come outside were not progressing Officer Woronka then spoke with Dimitri over the phone and attempted to get him to come outside to make contact with officers Officer Woronka indicated Dimitri was not speaking rationally and his demeanor would constantly change Dimitri

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would tell Officer Woronka that he would "put two in your head" and repeated that approximately three times Dimitri told Officer Woronka that they were going to have to wait until 1600 hours until Jennifer (his girlfriend) got home Officer Woronka told Dimitri they would call Jennifer and get her home early Dimitri told her not to do that and again became argumentative Officer Woronka described his demeanor as being like a light switch She informed him she was going to hang up the phone and call Jennifer so Dimitri hung up Officer Woronka called Dimitri back and he answered the phone and yelled at her, and then hung up the phone again Officer Woronka then indicated she was instructed to have herself and the other officers leave the area As they were walking toward the canal, they were advised by Officer McCoy that the individual was outside the residence (Note: This detective was aware that Officer McCoy was located somewhere to the south of the residence with an unobstructed view, but his immediate location was unknown to me) Officer Woronka advised that officers moved back to the vehicle they were previously behind at the neighbor's house Once they returned to this location, Dimitri went back inside the residence She could see Dimitri was holding the front screen door open and was yelling, "I'm here, I'm here"! She asked Dimitri to walk toward her but he went back inside Moments later the door opened again and she saw a handgun in his hand pointed in her direction She asked Officer McCoy over the radio if that was a gun in his hand and then heard one shot She believed at that time Dimitri was shooting in her direction Once she heard over the radio that the subject was down she and the other officers then moved toward the east side of the residence as a contact team They moved toward the front door to secure Dimitri and she observed his feet in the doorway as they approached The remainder of his body was inside the residence She observed a handgun lying on the concrete just outside the doorway The top of the screen door which is made of glass had big hole in it Upon looking at Dimitri, she observed significant trauma to his head. The residence was then cleared to ensure no other people were in the residence Officer Woronka did indicate that life saving measures were not feasible due to the extent of the injury to Dimitri Officer Woronka indicated that she was in fear for her life and the life of fellow officers

Neal Valenti interview

An audio recorded interview was conducted with Cpl Valenti who stated the following Officers were dispatched to a disturbance on Mariposa Dr He was working as a two man unit with Officer Vickers He parked his patrol vehicle at the intersection of Sheafe Ave and Mariposa Dr He met at the location with Officer Vickers, Officer Woronka, and Officer Missale Also present in the area was Cpl McCoy who was watching the front of the residence and Officer Rama and Officer Caswell were in a wooded area to the rear of the residence Cpl Valenti Officer Vickers Officer Woronka and Officer Missale were established as a contact team Cpl Valenti had his long gun (AR-15) with him Cpl Valenti advised when he was dispatched to the disturbance call, officers were advised over the radio that the subject (Dimitri) located at 1246 Mariposa Dr had threatened workers at the neighbor's house with a handgun and also threatened to shoot

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> Officers of the contact team approached the residence along the canal which is behind the residence They walked up from the canal between two houses from the target residence They found cover behind a white SUV parked in the driveway of the neighbor's residence Attempts were made to find phone numbers associated with the subject in the house While that was being done, Sgt Livasy drove his patrol vehicle toward the front of the residence where he made announcements over the PA system Cpl Valenti indicated Sgt Livasy identified himself multiple times as the Palm Bay Police Department and that officers located behind the residence could clearly hear the announcements Once a phone number was located for Dimitri Officer Vickers made a phone call to Dimitri The male appeared very disoriented over the phone believing it was night time and not knowing what day of the week it was Cpl Valenti then indicated prior to the phone call, as the contact team was approaching from the canal, Dimitri had walked outside from his residence and observed officers Cpl Valenti indicated Dimitri observed him with his long gun and Officer Woronka with her service weapon drawn Dimitri then ran back inside upon seeing the officers Cpl Valenti observed that Dimitri had a cell phone in his hand upon going back inside the residence

> As Officer Vickers was speaking with Dimitri over the phone, Dimitri did not appear to be coherent Dimitri refused to come outside to speak with officers and would only come out once his girlfriend arrived home at 1630 hours Cpl Valenti could hear Dimitri on the phone with Officer Vickers because of the phone being on speaker Dimitri was stating he wasn't coming out, but officers can come to my door and we'll take care of matters Officer Woronka then got on the phone with Dimitri and Cpl Valenti could overhear Dimitri say, "I'll put three holes in your head"! Dimitri repeated this several times to Officer Woronka After multiple attempts to get Dimitri to come outside were unsuccessful, a decision was made for officers to leave the area The contact team was walking back to the canal line and as they were walking away, Cpl Valenti heard yelling come from the residence and then heard Cpl McCoy advise over the radio that Dimitri was outside the residence They returned to the area of cover behind the white SUV Once they were behind the SUV, he observed the front of a handgun coming from inside the doorway Due to his position, he could only observe the gun and not the rest of Dimitri's body He explained his vision was obscured by the garage He then heard a gunshot and Cpl Valenti saw the gun fall to the ground in front of the door He saw the screen door shattered and Dimitr1 fall He and the other officers approached the front of the residence where he observed Dimitri on the floor at the front door He saw that the injuries were significant to indicate Dimitri was deceased The house was cleared of any other individuals and the scene was secured Cpl Valenti indicated that he was in fear for his life and the life of fellow officers

Sqt Livasy interview. An interview was then conducted with Sgt Livasy who indicated the

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following. Sgt Livasy he was the supervisor on scene when the incident occurred He responded to the area of 1246 Mariposa with other officers in reference to a disturbance between the subject (Dimitri) at 1246 Mariposa Dr and workers at the neighbor's house Dispatch had advised officers that Dimitri was threatening to shoot the workers Sgt Livasy staged his vehicle at the intersection of Sheafe Ave and Mariposa Dr and began making officer assignments Once officers were deployed, he and Lt Bland blocked the roadway so no cars could pass by the residence After phone contact was unsuccessful, Sgt Livasy drove his patrol vehicle up to the residence and attempted to make PA announcements to get Dimitri to exit the residence Sgt Livasy identified himself as Sgt Livasy with the Palm Bay Police Department and repeated several times that this is the Palm Bay Police Department Prior to police arrival, witnesses advised that Dimitri came outside of the residence in his underwear holding a shot glass of a clear liquid Dimitri was wide eyed and appeared intoxicated As Dimitri continued to talk to the workers, they advised him they did not have time for this and he needed to go back inside At one point, Dimitri picked up a tennis ball and told the worker to catch The worker told him he didn't have time to play catch, so Dimitri told him if he didn't catch the ball, he would hit him in the head with it It escalated to the point where Dimitri advised the workers that he was going inside to get his gun and he would shoot their ass Another one of the construction worker's advised Sgt Livasy that Dimitri looked at him and said "Come at me niger I'll kick your ass too"!

After several attempts were made to have Dimitri come outside and meet with officers, a decision was made to have officers back out of the immediate area (At 15.02 minutes into the interview my recorder stopped recording unbeknownst to me) Sgt Livasy did indicate that from his vantage point he was ten houses away and did not observe Dimitri in the doorway or the shooting. The remainder of the interview was audio recorded by Special Agent Mynheir

This was the extent of my involvement in this case The audio recording were placed on a CD and entered into Property and Evidence

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Reported By: TILLETT - 178 REBECCA SUPPLEMENT 3/15/16

Case Summary

On March 1 2016 at approximately 0919 hours, the Palm Bay Police Department received a 911 call reference a neighbor dispute The residents at 1254 Mariposa Drive NE stated that the neighbor located at 1246 Mariposa Drive NE was belligerent and causing a disturbance Complainant Laura Mattingly dialed 911 when the resident at 1246 Mariposa Drive NE continuously threatened the construction workers that were working on her residence The male told the workers that he was going into his residence to retrieve a gun and shoot the individuals The male was reported to be intoxicated and stated that if the cops arrived he would shoot them as well

Officers arrived on scene and established a perimeter surrounding the residence The disorderly individual was eventually identified as Dimitri Corcino Officers attempted numerous times to speak with Dimitri but he would not cooperate As officers began to exit the area to diffuse the situation, Dimitri opened his front door and pointed a firearm in the direction of officers Corporal McCoy 184 fired one gunshot that fatally wounded Dimitri and stopped the threat towards law enforcement officers

Dimitri was pronounced deceased at 1144 hours by Sergeant Livasy 26

Investigation

On March 1 2016 at approximately 1200 hours, I was called reference an officer involved shooting that occurred At approximately 1210 hours, I responded on scene at 1246 Mariposa Drive NE to assist in the investigation

I initially met with Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) Agents who began their investigation I was assigned to assist Agent K Ortiz with a neighborhood canvass

Contact was made with Mark and Heather Manning located at 1239 Mariposa Drive NE Both Mark and Heather stated that they did not witness or hear anything related to the shooting that occurred

Contact was made with Andres Soto at 1223 Mariposa Drive NE who also stated that he did not witness or hear anything related to the shooting that occurred

Contact was attempted at 1214 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results Agent Ortiz left her business card at the residence

Contact was attempted at 1230 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results Agent Ortiz left her business card at the residence

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Contact was made at 1230 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results The residence appeared to be vacant

Contact was made with Donald Hooks at 1247 Mariposa Drive NE who stated that he witnessed events leading to the officer involved shooting Donald knew that there was a dispute between individuals across the street from his residence Donald heard the information third party via an individual named Trish

After hearing the information Donald looked outside his residence but did not witness anything unusual at first Once back inside his residence, Donald heard an intercom that sounded awfully close Donald is used to hearing the school's intercom that is in close proximity to his residence, but this intercom sounded unusually loud Donald looked outside his residence and witnessed a police car that was ordering the occupants of 1246 Mariposa Drive NE to exit their residence to speak with officers. The officers were using the intercom from inside their vehicle. The occupant would not leave their residence. Donald stated that the officers stated three to five times for the occupant to exit the residence. Donald stated that he witnessed the individual inside the residence peering out of the bedroom window. Donald was watching the window with his pair of binoculars.

Donald then witnessed the front door open and heard the occupant screaming Donald was unable to make out what exactly the occupant said The door then shut and reopened about a minute in a half later Donald witnessed the individual inside 1246 Mariposa Drive NE step out from the doorway with a black handgun and point the firearm in the direction of officers Donald pointed towards the neighboring residence located at 1254 Mariposa Drive NE as the direction the firearm was pointed While Donald, Agent Ortiz, and I were stating that the position Donald was pointing was north, it was later discovered that the direction was east Donald then heard one pop noise Donald believed the individual shot his gun The individual went back into the doorway and then six to eight officers ran up through the yard and made their way to the front door Donald exited his residence and saw the individual lying in the doorway Donald realized that the individual was not moving and initially believed him to be handcuffed Donald realized that the individual was lying on his back and that was it The entire event lasted approximately 45 minutes from the time Trish initially called Donald to seeing the police activity

Donald described the firearm that the individual pointed in the direction of officers to be a black pistol. The individual pointed the firearm and that is when Donald heard a pop noise Donald stated that the individual was in between the screen door and the wooden door when he pointed the firearm towards officers

Contact was made with Mamie Watson at 1255 Mariposa Drive NE Mamie stated that she heard screaming and yelling but could not make out what was being said Mamie stated that she did not pay much attention but did witness police standing across the street behind a white

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vehicle The officers were holding their firearms Mamie heard one gunshot after seeing the officers outside

Contact was attempted to be made at 1262 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results The residence appeared to be vacant

Contact was made with Michael Boswell at 1270 Mariposa Drive NE Michael stated that he saw officers outside his residence Michael noticed a total of three to four officers that made their way past his residence Michael noticed the officers were eventually walking away from the target residence and then he heard a loud scream The officers then ran back towards the target residence Michael witnessed the officers near a white vehicle

Contact was made with Roger and Donna Simons at 1271 Mariposa Drive NE Both Roger and Donna stated that they heard a pop noise that they associated to be a gunshot Police were witnessed behind a white sport utility vehicle across the roadway Roger and Donna spoke with the construction workers that were initially being harassed The construction workers stated to Roger and Donna that the police arrived because the occupant at 1246 Mariposa Drive NE made threatening and derogatory comments towards them According to Roger and Donna, the entire incident took approximately one to one and a half hours

Agent Ortiz made contact with Willa Mae Franklin at 1263 Mariposa Drive NE who stated she did not witness any activity related to the shooting that occurred

Contact was made with Kalista Helms at 1278 Mariposa Drive NE Kalista stated that she heard what she believed to be a flashbang She was unaware of what occurred down the roadway

Contact was attempted at 1286 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results

Contact was attempted at 1287 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results

Contact was attempted at 1295 Mariposa Drive NE but with negative results

Contact was made with Nicholas Cukanow at 1311 Mariposa Drive NE Nicholas did not witness or hear anything related to the incident that occurred

I remained on scene with FDLE Agents until their investigation was complete I attempted to make contact with a next of kin for Dimitri Corcino but had great difficulty due to family residing out of the country Contact was eventually made with Dimitri s aunt Anna Corcino, who resides in New York Anna stated that she would have to find a way to contact Dimitri s mother who currently resides in the Virgin Islands

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************************** N A R R A T I V E # 12 ***************** Reported By HILL - 68, STEVEN M SUPPLEMENT 3/16/16

Case Summary

On Tuesday, March Olst, 2016, at approximately 9.19am, officers responded to 1246 Mariposa Drive NE in reference to a dispute between construction workers and a neighbor Dimitri Corcino got into an argument with workers who were hired to complete home-improvement work at 1254 Mariposa Drive The argument escalated, and 911 callers reported that Corcino made comments that he would shoot them and the police

Officers established a perimeter around 1246 Mariposa, and made attempts to contact Corcino remotely using PA system and by cell phone On-and-off contact was made with Corcino and the incident continued for approximately two hours During this time, Corcino broke contact with officers on several occasions, and it was believed that Corcino possibly suffered from mental illness and was most likely intoxicated

At approximately 11.35am, Corcino opened the front door to his residence, and pointed a firearm at officers on scene Upon seeing this, Corporal McCoy #184, fired one gunshot at Corcino, fatally wounding him, and eliminating the threat to officers and residents Dimitri Corcino was pronounced dead by Sergeant Livasy #26 at 11 44am

Investigation

At 11:46am, I was contacted by Sergeant Pusatere #141, who requested that I respond to Mariposa to assist with the investigation On scene I met with Sgt Pusatere and Lieutenant Augello #139 who briefed me on the incident Lt Augello and I then met with Jennifer Tindall, who owns the house at 1246 Mariposa Tindall is also the live-in girlfriend of Dimitri Corcino

Tindall was at work during the entire incident, and she had been contact by the police when they were attempting to make contact with Corcino Tindall left work, and had arrived in the area after Corcino was pronounced dead She was unaware that he was deceased, so part of my assignment was to notify her of Corcino s death and obtain basic information regarding her relationship with Corcino

After the initial notification of Corcino s death I began recording my conversation with Tindall That conversation is summarized as follows

Tindall spoke with officers on the phone around 10.00am, and they told her there was a problem at her house, and they would call her back Tindall did not hear anything else until Corcino called her around 11.30am Corcino told her that there were people outside of the house with guns, and that he was scared Jennifer left work and drove home

ase Number 1-16-001834 after that phone call Tindall had no other information on the incident or what had taken place between Corcino and the police

Tindall explained to me that she and Corcino had been dating about 1-1/2 years, and Corcino moved into her house with her in December, 2015 Tindall had never met any of Corcino s family and she thought his father and mother lived in Puerto Rico

Tindall was aware that Corcino was on medication, and he told her that it was due to schizophrenia Tindall knew that Corcino went to see doctors at the VA, but she never went with him and she had no other knowledge than what he told her about his illness Tindall stated that she had never known Corcino to be violent, or do anything that concerned her She witnesses him talking to himself on occasion, but no other concerning behavior

Tindall advised that Corcino had never threatened or implied that he wanted to hurt himself or anyone else Corcino told Tindall that he used to be a police officer in the Miami area, and she had seen pictures of him wearing a police uniform Corcino never voiced any dislike for the police nor had he ever made comments that let Tindall to believe that he was afraid of wanted to hurt anyone, including the police.

According to Tindall, she left for work at around 5.30am that morning, and Corcino was awake and talking with a friend on the phone Tindall advised that Corcino is not usually awake when she leaves for work, but she did not view this as strange, and he was not displaying any concerning behavior

Tindall agreed to allow police and FDLE to enter and search her residence and she signed a written consent to search

Tindall called a friend, Shelly Cobb who responded to the scene and provided comfort for her until the investigation was complete enough for her to leave A Victim s Advocate also responded to assist Jennifer Tindall s information was forwarded to FDLE Agents

After leaving the scene I was asked to take photographs of Officer Valenti #192 s patrol rifle Apparently Officer Valenti deployed with his rifle but he did not discharge the firearm during the incident A disc containing those photographs along with the audio interview of Jennifer Tindall was turned into P&E (Item #SH-1)

No further action was taken by this detective

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On March 1st 2016 I was requested to assist in an officer involved shooting at 1246 Mariposa Drive N E It was decided that I would sit in on interviews with officers involved in the incident and assist FDLE as they would be investigating the incident

Officer Samantha Missale, ID # 226 interview FDLE Special Agent Ryan Bliss started the interview Officer Missale told us that she was dispatched to Mariposa Drive in reference to an argument between a neighbor and construction workers where the workers were threatened bodily harm She arrived on scene with other officers and learned that the workers said the neighbor had threatened to go to his house and get a gun and shoot them Officer Missale said she didn t directly speak to any of the involved and learned the information from what was dispatched and from other officers Officer Missale said that Corporal Neal Valenti, Officer CJ Woronka and Officer Robert Vickers approached the residence from the canal side and took cover behind a Jeep vehicle located at 1254 Mariposa Drive Officer Vickers attempted contact via cellphone to Dimitri Corcina suspect in this case once they learned his identity Sergeant Chris Livasy pulled his patrol car up and addressed the suspect over his PA system At one point prior to this the suspect came out of the house and officer CJ Woronka asked him if he was alright and they needed to talk to him, he said nothing, turned around and walked back inside his residence When Officer Vickers made telephone contact with Corcina he made several strange statements when asked to come outside he replied that they should come inside Corcina relayed that he is not stable and when asked all pertinent questions kept saying it was none of your business Officer Missale told us that dispatch had contacted the girlfriend Jennifer and she told them he had mental problems (PTSD, Bipolar and depression) took medication and that there were guns in the house Officer Woronka spoke to Corcina on the telephone as she is on the Hostage Negotiation Team and experienced in this Corcina was up and down on emotions from crying and becoming belligerent and calling her names Corcina also told Officer Woronka that he would put two bullets in her head more than once Corcina also wanted his girlfriend there and Officer Woronka said they would do that Corcina then you re you re not talking to my girl and hung up The officers attempted to pull back as nothing else could be done SWAT Sniper Corporal Jason McCoy was positioned across the street and had the front of the Corcina s house covered and was constantly relaying activity to the on scene officers Corporal McCoy advised front door and he s coming out at Officer Woronka yelled gun and possibly Corporal McCoy say the same thing when they heard the shot and Corporal McCoy said the suspect was down They approached and observed Corcina laying half outside and inside his front door entry way Officer Missale told us that she didn t see Corcina until after the shot was fired Interview was concluded

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Officer Vickers was accompanied by his PBA attorney Martin White Officer Vickers told us that he was riding with Corporal Neal Valenti because he was just reinstated after being absent for over two years They responded to the scene after assistant was requested Officer Vickers told us once a telephone number was established for the suspect that he was instructed to try and make contact Once he made contact he said that the suspect now known as Dimitri Corcina was acting very confused and not really knowing what was going on Officer Vickers said that Corcina was very not cooperative and going back and forth with what he was saying Corcina told him he was fighting with his girlfriend but wanted to talk to her Corcina did tell him he was crazy and had mental problems and they were not coming in his house and he needed to come out and talk to the officers At some point Officer CJ Woronka took over the conversation with Corcina and he became belligerent to her calling her names and threatening to put two bullets into her head The conversation came to an end when Corcina disconnected and the officers attempted to pull back when he heard CJ yell gun and the shot was heard but unclear from the shot came from Officer Vickers did say he heard yelling but it was unintelligible and assumed came from Corcina At this point all officers on scene approached the residence and determined that Corsina was no longer a threat, was deceased and secured the area The interview was concluded

This was the extent of my involvement in this case. The audio recording was placed on a CD and entered into Property and Evidence

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On 03-01-2016, at approximately 12:15 hours, I Officer Mertens responded to 1246 Mariposa in reference to conducting scene security Upon arrival I stood at the perimeter of the crime scene, and completed the crime scene log NO further action taken by this Officer

Reported By MERTENS - 221, SHANE

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SUPPLEMENT Reported By CLENDENIN, PHILLIP B 3/02/16

Tuesday 1st March

On the above date, I Phillip Clendenin crime scene investigator with the Palm Bay Police Department responded to 1246 Mariposa Drive in reference of the above case Upon arrival I was asked to assist with putting up a barrier that was used to shield the body No further information at this time

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SUPPLEMENT Reported By HAUBER, NATASHA 3/02/16

Tuesday, 1st March 2016

On the above date CSI Clendenin, CSI Wolfe, CSI Sander and I responded to 1246 Mariposa Dr NE, in reference to an officer involved shooting Once on scene we were requested to put a barricade around the deceased Once the barricade was built and placed in position we exited the scene After the body was removed from the scene, the barricade was removed

No further information at this time

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SUPPLEMENT Reported By: SANDER, BRIDGET 3/02/16

Tuesday March 1st, 2016

On the above date, CSI Clendenin ID 2331 CSI Hauber ID 1262, CSI Wolfe ID 2975 and I responded to 1246 Mariposa Drive NE in reference to a shooting Upon arrival we were requested to place a barrier around the exterior of the front door No further action was taken

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Reported By WOLFE, REBECCA SUPPLEMENT 3/02/16

Tuesday March 1st, 2016

On the above date, I responded to 1246 Mariposa Drive NE in reference to an officer involved shooting Upon arrival I entered the crime scene to set up a barrier around the exterior of the front doorway No other action was taken

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